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Case N . 246P002

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re application of

David H. Schmidt

Serial No. To Be Assigned

Continuation of 08/865,235

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application, prior to examination on the merits, as follows:

In The Claims

Please cancel claims 1-7 and add claims 8-³⁰~~29~~ as indicated by the enclosed pages.

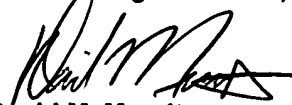
Remarks

Claims 1-7 have been cancelled and claims 8-³⁰~~29~~ have been added.

With this amendment all grounds for rejection are believed to have been addressed and overcome, and it is believed that this application is now in condition for allowance, which action is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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